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Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.
If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: all rejected claims.

Identification of prior art discussed: Fox et al and Wang et al.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☒ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: the examiner discussed the after-final amendment with applicants' representative, and determined that the amendment would not place the claims in condition for allowance at this time. A discussion subsequently ensued regarding possible claim amendments and/or arguments for applicants to pursue in the event that an RCE is filed.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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/Sikarl A. Witherspoon/ Primary Examiner, Art Unit 1621	
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